

IN THE CLAIMS

14. (Currently amended) A receiver for receiving a water-based colorant image transferred by a stamp, comprising:

(a) an image receiving a structure having:

- (i) a support;
- (ii) a barrier layer formed over the support; and
- (iii) an information receiving layer which contains recorded information, said information receiving layer being formed over the barrier layer; and

(b) a clear hydrophilic layer formed over the information receiving layer for receiving and

holding a water-based colorant image transferred by a stamp.

17. (original) The receiver of claim 14 wherein the clear layer includes gelatin formulated with surfactants.

18. (original) The receiver of claim 14 wherein the clear layer includes material selected from the group consisting of polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP), polyester ionomers, polyethylene oxide and copolymers of vinyl alcohol.

32. (new) A receiver for receiving a water-based colorant image transferred by a stamp, comprising:

(a) an image receiving a structure having:

- (i) a support;
- (ii) a barrier layer formed over the support; and
- (iv) an information receiving layer which contains recorded information, said information receiving layer being formed over the barrier layer; and

(b) a clear layer formed over the information receiving layer and having an exposed surface for receiving and holding a water-based colorant image transferred by a stamp.

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33. (new) The receiver of claim 32 wherein the clear layer includes gelatin formulated with surfactants.
34. (new) The receiver of claim 32 wherein the clear layer includes material selected from the group consisting of polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP), polyester ionomers, polyethylene oxide and copolymers of vinyl alcohol.
35. (new) A receiver for receiving a water-based colorant image transferred by a stamp, comprising:
- (a) an image receiving structure having:
 - (i) a support;
 - (ii) a barrier layer formed over the support; and
 - (v) an information receiving layer which contains recorded information, said information receiving layer being formed over the barrier layer; and
 - (b) a clear hydrophilic layer formed over the information receiving layer and having an exposed surface for receiving and holding a water-based colorant image transferred by a stamp, said clear layer consisting essentially of one or more of the group comprising gelatin formulated with surfactants, polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP), polyester ionomers, polyethylene oxide and copolymers of vinyl alcohol.

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